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Docket No.: HASO 8276US

Date: November 9, 2005

In re Application of: **Matthew R. Dillingham**

Serial No.: **10/698,641**

Group No.: **3676**

Filed: **10/31/2003**

Examiner: **Mark A. Williams**

For: **CONTINUOUS GEAR HINGE WITH ELECTRICAL CONDUCTOR**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is:

☒ An Amendment B in the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2005.

☒ An additional fee is required.

Small Entity Status:

☐ Applicant claims small entity status.


☒ Applicant DOES NOT claim small entity status.

The fee has been calculated as shown:

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED     |   |  |                  |   |                           |                   |
|-----------------------|---|--|------------------|---|---------------------------|-------------------|
|                       | Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment | Highest<br>No.<br>Previously<br>Paid For | Present<br>Extra | Rate –<br>Other Than<br>A Small<br>Entity | Rate –<br>Small<br>Entity | Additional<br>Fee |
| Total<br>Claims       | 19 -                                      | 20 =                                     | 0                | \$50.00                                   | \$25.00                   | \$ 0.00           |
| Indep.<br>Claims      | 4 -                                       | 3 =                                      | 1                | \$200.00                                  | \$100.00                  | \$200.00          |
| Total Additional Fee: |   |  |                  |   |                           | \$200.00          |

☒ A check in the amount of **\$200** is attached to cover the 1 additional independent claim fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit overpayment under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account 162201. *Duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.*



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